Brooklyn yesterday afternoon, when Supreme

Court Justice Dickey appointed the United States Mortgage and Trust Company receiver.
Julien T. Davies of the firm of Davies, Stone & Auerbach, appeared as counsel for the plaintiff; Adrien Joline as the representative of the Bondholders' Committee, and John M. Bowers as counsel for the defendant corporation. The receivership covers all the property, including the stores, warehouses, offices, shops, buildings, wharves, docks, basins, piers and all the leasehold property, and will collect the rents. issues and profits. The receiver is to file a bond in the sum of \$100,000. The defendants are also restrained from interfering with the receiver in the management of the affairs of the company. The injunction, which was granted in Manhattan, was approved by Jus-

receiver in the management of the analys of the company. The injunction, which was granted in Manhattan, was approved by Justice Dickey.

Waiter B. Matteson in an affidavit declares that the value of the property of the Brooklyn Wharf and Warehouse tomenny does not exceed the sum of \$15,000,000 and Herbert C. Plass, an appraiser. In an affidavit places the value of the property at the same sum.

Justice Dickey received the representatives of the interested corporations in his private office. As both sides had agreed upon the appointment of the receiver Justice Dickey signed the order appointing the United States Mortgage and Trust Company. The papers were signed too late to be filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday. Notices signed by Arthur Turnbull, Third Vice-President of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, were sent to all the warehouses and elevators covered by the mortgage. It states that the United States Mortgage and Trust Company had taken possession of all the property, real and personal, except that known as the Eric Basin, and that ourdon B. Horton had been appointed as agent with all the power and duties that have heretolore been possessed by the President of the Brooklyn Wharf and Warehouse Company. The same order aupoints all the other officers and employees, except those at the Eric Basin, to be representatives of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, with the same duties and powers, the same terms of office and the same compensation as a present.

STANDARD GAS FOTING POOL.

More Than a Majority of the Stock Said to Have Been Pledged. It was stated yesterday by one of the directors composing the Protective Committee of the Standard Gas Light Company that the com-

in its fortieth annual statement, published in another column. At the end of the year the assets of the society were valued at more than two hundred and eighteen million dollars, including a surplus of sixty-one million; its income for the year was nearly lifty-four million, the amount of new policies issued exceeded two hundred million, and the sum of its policies in force was fifty million more than a billion dollars.

A report published vesterday afternoon that stockholders of the Colonial Trust Company and the Washington Trust Company were mate the two trust companies was without any foundation whatever. No such thing has ever been contemplated.
The Colonial an I Washington Fire Insurance companies are going to consolidate as

Flour Miling to, Reorganization.

The Reorganization Committee of the United States Flour Milling Company met yesterday and perfected the plans for the financial re-habilitation of the company. It was stated by George William Ballou, who was elected Sec-retary of the committee, that the underwriters of the plan would represent very strong finan-

Business Troubles.

Deputy Sheriff Murray has received two exeoutions against Frederick, Aldhous, builder, of 217 West 125th street aggregating \$24,300 in favor of William L. Condit and others. Deputy Sheriff Roberts has received an execution against Charles A. Gerkon, grocer at 130th street and Amsterdam avenue, for \$600 in favor of Austin Nichols & Co. for merchandise.

Arbuckles' Price for Sugar Comes Up. Arbuckle Brothers advanced their prices for sugar vester lay to correspond with the Ameri-can Sugar Redning Company and stopped selfing at the old prices.

Diridends and Interest.

OFFICE OF THE
Buffalo, Rochester & Fittsburgh
Railway Company.
No. 36 Wall St. New York January 30, 1900.
A dividend of 3 per cent has been declared on the
preferred stock of this Company, ayable February
15th next to stechnolers of record February oth
next. Divident checks will be mailed to the stockholders.

J. H. ROCART. Assistant Treasurer Glections and Meetings.

THE PEOPLES GAS LIGHT & COKE CO.

of Chicago). The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Peoples Gas Light and Coke Company will be held at the office of the Company in thicago, Adams Street and Michigan Avenue, on Saturday, February 10, 1900, at 11 octook A.M. The transfer books will close, in New Yors, in accordance with the by-laws, at 3 octook P.M. on Friday, January 18th, and will reopen at 10 octook A.M. Thesday, February 13th, 1900.

C. K. G. BILLINGS, President.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE RIDER

AND DRIVER COMPANY:

Notice is hereby given that the election of Directors for The Rider and Driver not having been field on the day designated in the by-laws, a meeting of the nambers of soft corporation, for the purpose of electing Directors thereof will be held at the office of the said corporation. No. 545 Broadway, in the 4ty of New York, on the lifteenth day of February, 1900, at 12 oclock no in.

Dated, New York January 30, 1900.

H. S. TAINTOR, Secretary.

NEW AMSTERDAM GAS COMPANY,
340 Third Avenue, N. Y. city.
January 31, 1900.
NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the office of the Company, 340 Third Avenue, on Thursday, March 1, 1900, at 12 o'clock near, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. By order of the Board of Directors.
FORD HUNTINGTON, Secretary.

By order of the Board of Directors.

HAVANA COMMERCIAL COMPANY.

32 Breadway, February 1, 1900

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the office of the Company, 60 Grand Street, Jersey City, N. J., on Monday, March 5, 1900, at 12 o'clock noun, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Transfer-books close Friday, February B, and rescent Frid

financial.

International Zinc Co., Ltd.

Yields 14% on the Present Cost of Shares.

the United States giving regularly to its stockholders exact reports and full knowledge of the condition of their property. The well-known Charte ountants. BARROW, WADE, GUTHRIE & CO., of New York and Chicago, supervise the company's accounts, and issue quarterly to the stockholders statements of earnings and net profits.

It is now earning 22 per cent. on its capital. and will nearly double this as soon as the four new mills now under way are completed.

It is now paying dividends equal to those paid by the highest capitalized companies in the inc fields, yet on a much smaller investment, which allows even the smallest investors to participate in the rich returns from zine mining. The low price of its shares also affords in-

its plan of supervising accounts it furnishes absolute security to its stockholders' interests

85° PER SHARE

pay for the new mills now being built The shares are of the par value of \$1.00 each, and are fully paid and non-assessable, SEND FOR PROSPECTUS, and note care fully the detailed accounts and BARROW, WADE, GUTHRIE & CO.'S reports on the properties. Applications for stock, accompanied by remittance, received at either of the following offices of

JOSHUA BROWN & CO., Bankers, 45 & 47 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

89 State St., Boston. 421 Chestnut St., Philadelphia. 409 The Rookery, Chicago.

AUCTION SALE.

In pursuance of the terms of the Trust indenture and warch 1. 1804, between the Railroad Equipment Company and the Atlantic Trust Company, as frustee, is undersigned, the Atlantic Trust Company, as frustee, including declared all bonds of the Italicoad Equipment Company of the Series A businessed under the aforesaid Trust Indenture, due and payable and the said bunds having not been paid, will self at public auction, by Richard V. Harnett & Company, Auctioneers, on the 13th day of February, 1990, at 12:30 o'clock P. M. at the New York heal Estate Salescoom, at 111 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhatan, City and State of New York the following a curities held by it as Trustee under said indenture as security for said A-b bonds.

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AUCTION SALE. In pursuance of the terms of the Trust Indenture made July 15, 1895, between the Railroad Equipment Company and the Atlantic Trust Company, Trustee, the understand, the Atlantic Trust Combany, as Trustee, naving declared all bonds of the Railroad Equipment Company of the Series A-e, 18-sued under the aforesaid Frust Indenture, due and pavable, and the said bonds having not been paid, will sell at public au tion, by Richarl V. Harnett & Company, Auctioneers, on the 13th day of February, 1900, at 12,30 o'dock P. M., at the New York Real Frust Salesroom at 111 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan. City and state of New York, the following securities held by it as Trustee under said Indenture as security for said A e bonds.

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D. 24 SECTRIFIES.

21 Certificates of Interest, Iron Car Equipment Company, Series / 5, at \$1,000 ca. h.

Atlantic Irust Company, trustee,
JOHN ALVIN YOUNG, Secretary.

GOLD MINES Stocks and shares in shoice gold and inside information to be had cheaply. Safe as Govt. bonds and more profitable, 20 years in bus ness Best ref'r's. Write The State Investment Co., Denver, Colo

This is the only Zinc-Mining Company in | enhancement in value of their holdings, and through

100,000 SHARES are now offered for public subscription at

to complete the balance of the purchase price and

Company, have consented to act as a Bondholders' Committee under a preliminary agreement filed with the United States Mortgage and Irust Comunment Co., Series B 8 per cent. pany, dated February 1, 1800. Bondholders are benas, 1 000 each.

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Went Up 3 1-2 Points in the Curb Market
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tificates on the Stock Exchange,

New York, February 1, 1900. FREDERIC P. OLCOTT. Chairman, FREDERIC CROMWELL, ADRIAN ISELIN, Jr.,

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ENNIS & STOPPANI, 34 New St. and 38 Broad St., N. V. Members | Consolidated Stock Exchange | Est. 1835.

INVESTMENT SECURITIES.

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MONDAY, Feb. 5. It is many months since the stock market made such a showing of confidence as it did to-day. The dealings were large and unusually well distributed and the improvement in prices was nearly universal. In many cases it extended to 2 to 3 points. Interest in the railway list was more pronounced that it has been for a long time. At the same time there was no abatement of speculation in the industrials, particularly in the iron and steel stocks. Of these, National Steel and American Steel Hoop were most conspicuous at net gains of 4 and 2% points respectively. The demand for both was stimulated by reports as to the character of the statements of earnings that will be issued shortly by the two companies. Other industrials that made good showings

in a moderate volume of trading were Car

Foundry preferred, Smelting, Anaconda, Glucose and National Lead common. There was also a marked revival of interest in U. S. Leather common that left it a point higher than on Saturday. Sugar Refining was the only member of this group that failed to participate in the upward movement. It was heavy throughout. Of the local traction Issues Manhattan Railway scored a net gain of over three points, chiefly on reported increased earnings. Brooklyn Rapid Transit was comparatively neglected. There was good buying of Third Avenue that was accompanied by reports that the expert examination of the company's affairs has proved satisfactory to the syndicate that offered to finance the concern. In the railway list Norfolk and Western common was the preëminent feature. On sales of 60,000 shares it closed over three points higher than on Saturday. This movement directed attention to the excellent earnings of the company and to the improvement in the soft coal industry, and also gave color to reports that the same interests that recently acquired large amounts of Baltimore and Ohio and of Chesapeake and Ohio stocks are now securing an interest in the Norfolk and Western Company. St. Paul advanced sharply on the steady increase in its traffic returns. Western advices are that the movement of cereals to market has been resumed a circumstance that accounts to some extent for the better demand for the Granger and Transcontinental shares. Of these last, Southern and Union Pacific issues were exceptionally

strong. The revival of speculation was as pronounced in the "curb" market as in the Stock Exchange. The features in that market were Amalgamated Copper, Electric Vehicle, American Wollen and Storage Power. There was also a demand for International Pump common that lifted the price a point. The closing of all the markets was strong at about the best prices.

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Nat Lead... 26% 28% What Let. 10% 10% Government bonds strong. The 4s of 1907 and 1925 and the 5s closed 4, per cent. higher bid each. Railway and other bonds strong. The features were Austin and Northwestern 1sts, Central of Georgia Consul 5s, Colorado Coai and Iron 6s, Colorado Southern 4s, Denver and Rio Grande Consul 4s, Detroit, Mackinaw and Marquette land grant 34s, Kanasa City, Pittsburg and Gulf 1s T. R., Norfolk and Western 4s, Oregon Short Line 5s, Reading general 4s, St. Louis Southwestern 2ds, Iron Mountain 4s, San Antonio and Aransas Pass 4s, Southern Pacific 4s, Southern Pacific 4s, Wisconsin Central 1st 4s, Atchison, Baitimore and Ohio, Central Pacific, Cheseapeake and Ohio, Kansas and Texas, Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific, Wabash and Western New York and Pennsylvania issues.

Pennsylvania issues.

Commercial price of bar silver in New York, 60c. Bar silver in London closed at 275d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 475c.

Money on call, 2@2% per cent. Time money is offered freely at 4 per cent, for three to four months on half railway and half industrial steeks, and at 3% per cent, for four months on prime dividend stocks and bonds. Commercial paper is in good demand. Rates are 4@4% per cent, for prime single names and bills receivable and 4%@5% per cent, for other grades.

Sterling exchange was quiet. A decline in private discount at London caused a firmer tone for long and an easier feeling for demand. The changes in rates, however, were very slight. Continental exchange was dull. Posted rates are: Long bills, \$4.85; sight drafts, \$4.884. Actual rates are: Long bills, \$4.844. Actual rates are: Long bills, \$4.844. Actual rates are: Long bills, \$4.844. Sight drafts, \$4.874; and cable transfers \$4.884. Francs were quoted 5.20@5.19% for long, and 5.16% for short: guilders, 40%40 3-16 for long, and 40%40 7-16 for short.

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Domestic exchange on New York: Boston-par. Charleston-Buying, par; selling, pa premium. Chicago-20c nati-Between banks, counter, 50c. premium.

Total reserve \$15,471,700 \$15,821,100 \$150,600 Reserve required 15,793,775 15,740,600 *53,175 \$322,075 419,500 1\$97,426

The Executive Committee of the Reading Railroad Company has recommended a semi-annual dividend of 1's per cent, on its first preferred stock payable March 8. This dividend payment is after providing for the cartrust as required by the general mortgage. This is the first dividend on Reading stock since 1876.

The Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. payable Feb. 15. Railway gross earnings for January compared with those of the same month last year

Surplus \$260,482 \$269,606 Dec. \$9,124 Netearn \$6,472,847 \$5,084,264 Inc. \$138,583 Total shipments... Total shipments... Total shipments...

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Oper expenses, taxes and insurance 2,026,725 1.390,929 635,796 May

Net earnings. \$1,070,966 \$863,947 \$207,019 July

Fixed charges, rentals and interest 701,678 \$72,175 129,508 August, September. Balance \$369.288 \$291,772 \$77,516 Other deductions. 165,514 89,165 76,349 Surplus \$203,774 \$202,807 \$1.197

The Duluth and Iron Range Railway (part of the Federal Steel Company) reports for 1880 gross earnings of \$4,080188, increase \$1.331, 833; taxes \$122,440, increase, \$31,555. The gross earnings per mile are said to be the largest of any road in the United States.

amount of about \$100,000 not set due (prepay-ment of whichwas offered and refused last year) and which is included in accounts payable. With the prospects of business in the future, expectation of permanent dividends on both stocks may be entertained."

The American Smelting & Refining Co. any deposited in the United States mints last week 29,477 ounces of gold, valued at \$690,302, and exported 1,160,634 ounces of silver, valued at \$68,380, a total of \$1,305,682.

The so-called Clearwater truce between the Northern Pacific Railway and the Oregon Railroad and Navigation companies, which nominally expires to-day, is continued ind-finitely in accordance with an understanding reached some time ago. some time ago.

The receipts of the Government to-day were: Customs, \$619,921: internal revenue, \$1,435,-052, and miscellaneous, \$83,246, a total of \$2,138,219. The disbursements were \$1,525,000, an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$613,219. The receipts of the fiscal year have been \$340,782,691, and the disbursements \$300,345,139, an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$31,437,551.

The official count of cash in the Treasury to-

The official count of cash in the Treasury to-day compared with that of last Saturday: | Gold coin and bullion | Feb S. | Feb S. | Set Tasy: | Feb S. | Set Tas

Available cash balance including gold reserve.\$292,380,887 \$293,606,277 Money in London, 2 per cent. Rates of discount in open market for short and three months' bills, 3@3's per cent. Paris advices quoted 2 per cents at 100 francs 70 centimes. Exchange on London, 25 francs 18% centimes.

MONDAY, Feb. 5 -GRAIN-Wheat-Spot was weak; sales, 56,000 bush., of which 30,000 were for export here and at the outports. No. 2 red, in elevator, 1c. over May. No. 1 Northern Duluth, 4 %c. over; No. 1 hard, 6 %c. over. Northwestern receipts were 667 cars, against 435 last week and 621 last year; Chicago, 29, against 40 last week and 87 last year. Futures closed '.c. lower. Sales, 1,030,000 bush. Prices were as follows:

Wheat, Corn. Oats, Rye. Barley. New York: Receipts. 32.800 29.250 81.900 82,175 Exports. .. 61,129 39,104 10,578 Receipts. 22,200 545,000 240,050 Shipments 31,048 218,159 209,174 The visible supply is as follows: Changes, Last Year,

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Twin City Rapid Transit. 217,252 Inc. 20,916
Wabash. 1,314,382 Inc. 176,022
The San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railroad reports gross earnings for December of \$184, 570, an increase of \$12,279 as compared with the same month of the previous year and net. \$40,453, an increase of \$12,279 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$40,055, an increase of \$48,106 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$40,055, an increase of \$48,106 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$40,0548, an decrease of \$14,458.

The Buffalo and Susquehauna Railroad reports gross earnings for December of \$71,576, an increase of \$8,797 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$43, 307, an increase of \$23,482 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$43, 307, an increase of \$24,482 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$43, 307, an increase of \$24,482 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$43, 307, an increase of \$24,482 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$43, 307, an increase of \$24,482 as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year and net. \$235,311, an increase of \$111,494.

The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company reports for December:

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The Mobile and Ohio Raifroad Company reports for the six months ended Dec. 3I, partly estimated:

1830, 1898, Inc. \$482,349

Inc. 1890 to 14,500 13,141 Inc.

Augusta shipped to-day 537 bales: Memphis, 5,262; St. Louis, 2,525 and Houston, 6,870, New Orleans closed to 2 hower. Port exports, 24,462 bales. Futures here closed steady with prices 2 to 5 higher as follows:

Highest, Lowest, Clasing.

7.90 7.94@7.98 7.85 7.92@7.98 7.88 7.92@7.98 | July | 7,98 |
August	7,94
September	7,46
October	7,33
November	7,26
December	7,28

Other adductions 105.514 8203.65 76,349

Surplus \$203,774 \$202,607 \$1.197

The 1808 earnings do not include revenue derived from the partial operation of the Montgomery division, or any expenses incurred in said operation, or any interest upon the Montgomery division bonds for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1808; these items being carried in construction account, which account was closed Juna 30, 1840, on which date, also, the Montgomery division was merged into the Montgomery division bonds and the lixed charges include six months' interest, \$100,000 on the monter system; and the lixed charges include six months' interest, \$100,000 on the Montgomery division bonds of the deductions in 1830 consist of part rayment on account of ballast, \$68,255; new yards, new levees, new connection with the L. C. Bridge at Cairo, \$27,367, and new equipment, \$33,822.

The Fitchburg Raironal Company reports for the quarter ended Dec. 31:

1838. (Annes).

Gross earnings \$2,132,504 \$2,012,474 lnc. \$120,030 Oper expenses. 1.442,773 1,382,844 lnc. 53,930 Oper expenses. 1.442,773 1,382,844 lnc. 53,93 7.26 7.18 7.28 7.19

ck. 144,000 Santos was firm at 20.